

This proposed change and the way chairman Powell has chosen to deal with it causes me to ponder the chairmans motives. When there's NO PUBLIC support for something like this situation, that should tell him something. The way he reacts to the public outcry makes me wonder who's interests chairman Powell has at heart.

I think his investment portfolio and bank records should be looked at VERY carefully by the IRS for clues to explain his stance.

I wouldn't be surprised if some concerned citizens suggest that to the IRS as a matter of fact.

There is no good, honest, fair reason for the FCC to change its rule regarding the amount of stations a single corporation can own. The only real justification for doing such involves money and leaves a rotten, graft-like after-taste. Allowing Clear Channel and Infinity to buy up all the radio stations has resulted in a bland uniform radio marketplace that is hardly worth listening to. The same will be true of television, particularly worrisome are the NEWS MEDIA aspects of such a proposal, if the proposed alteration occurs.

Greed and larceny have a strong pull and I have very little faith that Mr. Powell will, at least, make the debate on this issue more public and less rushed, because I do not think he has the public's best interest at heart. All the same I wish to make my views on this matter known: Do not give Fox, Viacom and Disney absolute control of the broadcast media, or clear channel for the live venue aspects.